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NOTICE TO BICYCLE RIDERS.

I am now ready to give your wheels attention and put them in shape for spring.

ENAMELING,
BRONZING.

All kinds of Lath Work done in the best equipped shop in this section. Bring in your wheels now. We will put them in good shape for you and take care of them until you want to ride. NEW TIRES and all sundries at the lowest prices.

C. F. HOFFMAN,

Special Bicycle Repair Dept. The Jeweler.

Travelers' Guide.

Passenger trains arrive and leave Reynoldsville as follows:

Allegheny Valley Railway.	
Eastward.	Westward.
Train No. 9, 6:53 a. m.	Train No. 8, 6:53 a. m.
Train No. 13, 11:06 a. m.	Train No. 6, 8:45 a. m.
Train No. 1, 12:38 p. m.	Train No. 2, 1:50 p. m.
Train No. 5, 6:02 p. m.	Train No. 14, 5:06 p. m.
Train No. 7, 9:13 p. m.	Train No. 10, 7:55 p. m.
SEASDAY.	
Train No. 4, 1:00 p. m.	Train No. 8, 6:53 a. m.
Train No. 7, 9:13 p. m.	Train No. 4, 4:38 p. m.
B. & P. Ry. (C. & M. Div.)	
Arrives	Departs
Train No. 73, 1:30 p. m.	Train No. 73, 2:30 a. m.

A Little of Everything.

Buy Robinson's shoes.
Williams for footwear.
Johns & Thompson, tailors.
Lent begins in two weeks.
Easter Sunday April 15th.
Next Tuesday is election day.
Falls Creek is to have a First National Bank.
Brumbaugh & Hills are selling furniture.
Overgarters of all kinds at Williams' shoe store.
Ladies felt shoes for cold feet at Williams'.
Minutes of town council will be found in this issue.
Johnston & Nolan are selling overgarters at cost.
Millirens are poor at bragging, but rich in bargains.
Ladies' Columbia Boots for \$2.00 at Johnston & Nolan's.
Parker Concert Company at Assembly hall Friday night.
Parker Concert Company in Assembly hall next Friday evening.
Perfect fits guaranteed by Johns & Thompson, merchant tailors.
Clarion county has all its debts paid and has \$40,000 in the treasury.
There was communion services in the Presbyterian church Sunday.
The United Evangelical church at Falls Creek was dedicated Sunday.
Your exact fit is here—don't blame us if you fail to find it. Robinson's.
The low prices and honest values at Millirens will surprise and amaze you.
Five pupils took up bookkeeping in the West Reynoldsville school last week.
Men's high laced rubber shoes are 25 cents cheaper at Robinson's than elsewhere.
If you want a good fitting suit or an overcoat, go to Johns & Thompson, merchant tailors.
A Polander was arrested Saturday night for drunkenness. He paid his fine Sunday morning.
Charles J. Bangert, who was editor of the Falls Creek Herald and Big Run Tribune, has sold the Tribune to Terpe & Thompson.
Special classes will be organized during the spring at the Clarion State Normal School for graduates and others to pursue higher studies.
Rev. A. J. Meek, pastor-elect of the Baptist church, will preach in that church this evening and next Sunday morning and evening.
The I. O. O. F. Degree Staff of Reynoldsville will go to Falls Creek next Tuesday night to do some degree work in the lodge at that place.
A change for the better is being made in the office of Hotel Imperial. The writing room will not be quite so public now. New furniture will be put in writing room.
The Lawrence paints excel all others in beauty, durability and economy. They are always uniform, reliable and satisfactory. For sale by the Reynoldsville Hardware Co.
The Franklin News says of the Parker Concert Company, which will appear in Assembly hall Friday evening, Feb. 16: "Every member of the company is an artist and every number of their program is a gem."

The Sandy Lick creek over-flowed its banks last Friday and the lowland in this section was covered with water.
Farmers' institute in Grange hall, Paradise, to-day and to-morrow, and at Allens Mills on Friday and Saturday of this week.
August Zigmont and Susan Jakubis, both of Big Soldier, were married in the Catholic church in this place at nine o'clock Saturday morning by Father Edward Driscoll.
We have paint to cover buildings, the largest stock of paint in town. Not cheap paint, but are made from genuine white lead, zinc, oxide and linseed oil as a base. Reynoldsville Hardware Co.
The W. C. T. U. will hold a mothers' meeting at the home of Mrs. Wilson Gross in West Reynoldsville at 2.30 to-morrow, Thursday, afternoon. The subject will be, "Early Spiritual Training."
The Helping Hand Society of the M. E. church will hold an Easter Bazaar, as has been their custom for several years. Full particulars of bazaar and where it will be held will be published later.
A plumber named Butler had his right eye badly burned Monday afternoon while at work in the Reynoldsville Real Estate Company's brick block. Mr. Butler had a narrow escape from losing his eye.
The Labadie Repertoire Company is playing a three-night engagement at the Reynolds opera house, beginning Monday night with "Mr. Pepper from Salt Lake" and closing to-night with "Away Down East."
Roy Bartle, who was employed in one of the large iron works at Pittsburg, returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bartle, in West Reynoldsville last Friday evening very ill. His illness has developed into typhoid pneumonia.
The Oliver chilled plow takes the lead, not only here but every place you know what they are. Hall & Barton are the sole and exclusive agents for them in this vicinity. The Oliver chilled plows have the cut of small plow on each one. None other genuine.
A large congregation attended the Lincoln Birthday Anniversary services in the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening. Rev. W. Frank Reber, pastor of the church, preached the sermon. The Grand Army members, Sons of Veterans and W. R. C. attended the services in a body.
In the report last week of the fire in Mrs. J. S. Morrow's new residence we state that fire originated from a defective flue. This was a mistake. The flues are substantial. A grate had been set in temporarily, before the backwall had been put in and the fire place completed, hence the fire.
Mrs. C. R. Hall and daughter, Miss Hope Hall, went to Brookville yesterday to remain until Friday. They will attend a banquet at the American House Thursday evening given to the Daughters of American Revolution by Regent Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook. One hundred invitations have been issued for the banquet.
Armstrong & McKelvey guarantee to pay cost of analysis and \$50.00 in gold for every ounce of adulteration found in any package of their paint—the purest and best paint on the market. Hall & Barton handle them as well as painters' supplies, white lead and oil, brushes, varnish, dryer, lamp black and coloring material. Their prices are right.
The Fairbanks Company has offered liberal prizes for the best display of their soap and gold dust, and that is why one of the display windows in Robinson & Mundorff's grocery store is so neatly and tastily arranged with Fairbanks goods. Geo. H. Mundorff is trying for one of the prizes. Photographer Corwin took a picture of the window Saturday. The picture will be sent to the Fairbanks Company.
Lex N. Mitchell, Esq., of Punxsutawney, who was recently admitted to the Jefferson county bar, was in town several days last week. Mr. Mitchell and W. B. Adams, who was deputy sheriff during a part of E. C. Burns' term as sheriff of this county, have formed a law partnership in Punxsutawney. The News in speaking of the new firm says: "Both young men are popular and bright attorneys, and both have been hard students of Blackstone."
The passenger service on the Allegheny Valley railway has been wonderfully improved in the last year, but especially so since Superintendent C. B. Price has been put in control. Assisted by James P. Anderson, one of the best passenger agents in the country, Mr. Price has added improvement after improvement until now the traveling public cannot think of how or where any further advancement could be made. The passenger service on the Low Grade division, running from Red Bank to Driftwood, is possibly the most noticeable by reason of the additional facilities furnished, and the most remarkable feature in this service is the time made. A person can leave Kittanning now at 3.15 p. m. and be at DuBois in less than three hours, a distance of almost ninety miles. And the public appreciates all this as the patronage evidences.—Kittanning Times.

Brick Works Leased.
Arthur O'Donnell and sons have leased the Merideth Bros. brick works at Merideth, several miles west of this place. The plant will hereafter be known as the Merideth Brick Works.
Signed With Grove City.
Thomas O'Hare, of this place, has signed to play third base for the Grove City club this year. "Pepper" has gained quite a reputation on the diamond. He knows how to play ball and the Grove City club made no mistake in hiring him. We predict for "Pepper" that in a year or two he will sign with faster clubs than the Grove City boys.
Another Real Estate Change.
W. S. Ross and Arthur O'Donnell, sr., purchased the property of A. C. Pierce, corner of Fifth and Jackson streets, Saturday. The property consists of two lots, two houses and one barn. The price paid was \$3,800.00. The old barn opposite the M. E. church will be torn down in the spring and it is likely that several fine buildings will be erected on the lots this year.
Arm Broken.
Mrs. Lewis Brody, of West Reynoldsville, fell last Friday and broke her right arm. Mrs. Brody's daughter and several other children were playing in the barn and a lot of hay fell on the girl and one of the other children ran to the house and told Mrs. Brody that her daughter was dying under the hay. In her excitement and haste to get to the barn Mrs. Brody was not careful of her footing and slipped near the barn door with above result.
Pleasant Surprise Party.
Last Saturday evening Miss Lena Binney was very much surprised on returning home from church to find about thirty young friends had assembled at the home of her parents, on Jackson street, for the express purpose of giving her a surprise party. The evening was pleasantly spent with music and games. Refreshment were served. Before returning home the young people presented Lena with a handsome gold watch.
Amsdell-Dobson.
B. D. Amsdell, whose home is in Jamestown, N. Y., and Miss Olie Dobson, whose parents reside near Brookville, were married at the M. E. parsonage in Brookville at 7.30 p. m. last Wednesday by Rev. S. M. Gordon, pastor Brookville M. E. church. Mr. Amsdell, who has been a traveling photographer the past six years, opened a photograph gallery in Reynoldsville about six weeks ago, and Miss Dobson has been forelady at the silk mill in this place since the mill was first started.
Presbyterian Meetings.
This is the third week of the series of special meetings in the Presbyterian church. A good interest has been manifested from the very beginning. Thirty-three persons have joined the church since the meetings began. Rev. J. Vernon Bell, of DuBois, assisted the pastor, Rev. W. Frank Reber, in the meetings the first week. Rev. J. A. Stevenson, of Allegheny, preached every night last week, and Rev. C. W. Cherry, of Natrona, arrived last evening and will preach every night this week.
A Short Trip.
Three lads, who have good, comfortable homes, decided that they would travel and see the world, and on Sunday afternoon the boys started afoot. They traveled as far as Brookville where they were headed off Monday by a telephone message from the father of one of the boys. There is no doubt but that after the boys had rubbed hard against the realities of life they would have headed to their homes gladly. A little hardship, sometimes, might make unappreciative boys enjoy their homes much better than they do.
Presented With Gold Watch.
The members of the Presbyterian church presented a beautiful gold watch to their pastor, Rev. W. Frank Reber, last Friday evening, as a token of their love and esteem for him. The presentation was made by Rev. J. A. Stevenson just before the evening sermon. It was a complete surprise to Rev. Reber and wife, as they had not even had an inkling of what was coming. The present was received with a grateful heart, not so much for the intrinsic value of the present, but for the good will and fellowship expressed by the giving of it. Such expressions of friendship have a tendency to draw pastor and people closer together and help on the good work of the church.
The Seventh Week.
This is the seventh week of the revival meetings in the M. E. church, and each night new ones go to the altar and others ask for the prayers of the church. Large congregations attend every night and good interest is manifested. Nineteen joined the church on probation and one by letter Sunday. This makes a total of fifty-three that have joined the church on probation since the revival began. Preaching Elder R. C. Smith preached last night and expects to be here and preach this evening. The pastor, Rev. Perry A. Reno, who has been carrying the work on alone, is getting pretty well worn out and Rev. Smith's assistance two nights will give Rev. Reno a short rest.

Town Council Doings.
Regular meeting of town council was held Wednesday, February 7th. H. C. Deible, president pro tem. Members present, Deible, Ferris, Pierce, Cochran, O. F. Smith and R. Smith. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.
G. W. Swartz, tax collector, made the following report of taxes collected to February 1st, 1900: Borough, \$1409.00; bond, \$1361.00; water, \$453.00; poor, \$1135.00.
On motion bill and interest amounting to \$367.73 were ordered paid.
On motion a certificate of indebtedness for nine hundred dollars, bearing 6 per cent interest, was issued, payable in 30 days. This certificate is issued to pay outstanding orders.
On motion was decided that J. H. Corbett, D. M. Bolger and F. S. Hoffman, or any other person tapping the main sewer, be charged the same as persons on Willow alley for same width of lot.
On motion Dr. J. B. Neale was elected sewer inspector.
On motion 30 days time was given to parties assessed for sewers to pay the same into the borough treasury.
F. W. Burns asked the council to pay him for a wagon he had broken down, caused by bad condition of street, which was held over.
No further business, adjourned.
Home Wedding To-day.
At 11.00 a. m. to-day a pretty home wedding will occur at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Booth, on Main street, when their daughter, Miss Susan, will become the wife of Stewart Crozier, of Hopkins. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. A. J. Meek, of Greensburg, pastor-elect of the Baptist church, assisted by the father of the bride. On account of the illness of Mrs. Booth, the wedding dinner will be served at the commodious home of Mrs. Dr. A. H. Bowser, sister of the bride. The out of town guests who will attend the wedding are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Crozier, of Hopkins, parents of the groom, Rev. Thomas W. Booth and Mrs. S. A. Bowser, of Ford City, Clarence Booth, of Wilkensburg, and Mrs. A. J. Meek, of Greensburg. The only town people who will be present will be the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.
The young couple will go to house-keeping at Hopkins, where a house is completely furnished awaiting the bride. THE STAR joins the numerous friends of the young couple in wishing them success in life's journey.
Parker Concert Company.
The Parker Concert Company, which will give an entertainment in Assembly hall Friday evening, was at Kane Monday night of last week, and the Kane Republicans said the following about the entertainment:
"The largest audience in attendance at any attraction on the Y. M. C. A. lecture course greeted the Parker Concert Company in the Lyceum last evening, and to say that they were highly delighted with the entertainment given is putting it mildly. No concert company that has appeared on any of the association courses has given such universal satisfaction, or responded more cheerfully to the numerous encores the enthusiastic audience demanded."
Mr. Ellenberger Dead.
Mrs. C. A. Pifer, of Jackson street, received a telephone message from North Freedom, Pa., Sunday afternoon that if she wanted to see her father, Frank Ellenberger, alive to come at once. Mr. and Mrs. Pifer left here on the first train Monday morning for North Freedom. Mr. Ellenberger died at 9.00 a. m. yesterday. He was a citizen of Reynoldsville a number of years ago and is pretty well known in town. He resided at the corner of Fifth and Jackson streets. Mr. Ellenberger was well advanced in years. His remains will be buried at Paric. Mrs. W. P. Dickey, of Winslow township, is also a daughter of the deceased.
Taken to Hospital.
William Hogue, the young man who has a tumor on right knee, was taken to the Medico-Chirurgical Hospital in Philadelphia last Thursday evening by Dr. J. B. Neale. After two weeks treatment in hospital the doctors will decide whether an operation will benefit the young man or not.
The money was raised by the Mercy and Help department of the Epworth League in this place to send Hogue to the hospital.
Verdict Manslaughter.
J. C. Harman, of Penfield, who killed Ezekiel Hewitt the third of last July, was tried in the Clearfield county court last week, and the verdict of the jury was manslaughter. A motion for a new trial has been made by Harman's attorneys.
Hand Injured.
Merrill Klingensmith, of Beechwoods, lost the end of the large finger of his left hand and had several other fingers badly injured one day last week. A large fly-wheel fell on his hand.
Bargains at Robinson's store.
Millirens please their customers and the business prospers.
Just what you want in rubbers at Williams'.

NEW BAPTIST MINISTER.
Resolutions Passed by the Greensburg Congregation on Acceptance of His Resignation.
The following resolutions were passed by the Greensburg Baptist congregation on accepting the resignation of Rev. A. J. Meek, Ph. D., who has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church in Reynoldsville:
"WHEREAS, Our beloved pastor, Rev. Dr. A. J. Meek, has tendered his resignation as pastor of the First Baptist church of Greensburg, in which he has labored so steadfastly and successfully during the more than seven years of his pastorate and has accepted a call to another field of labor, and has requested the congregation to acquiesce in the dissolution of the pastoral relation; and
"WHEREAS, We believe our pastor has taken this step from a lofty conception of his duty as a minister of Christ's church and a conviction that the call to another field of labor is the Master's call, we do therefore desire to place upon record our testimony.
"That in Dr. Meek we have had a faithful, earnest, truly consecrated pastor, who has endeared himself not only to his congregation, but we believe, to all who have come in contact with him in his life and ministrations in our midst; we bear record to his consistent Christian life, his able and faithful ministrations in the pulpit and his conscientious performance of pastoral duties, his uniform kindness manifested in his every day life, his zeal and wisdom displayed in the arduous labor incident to the erection of our new house of worship, and a conscientious discharge of duty upon his part whatever of personal sacrifice it involved. In his taking leave of the congregation, be it therefore
"Resolved, That we reluctantly join in severing the pastoral relations so long and happily existing, that we part with him, his faithful wife and family in sadness, and our prayers and best wishes go with him wherever the Master's providence leads them, that the blessings of the Lord may follow them and abundantly crown all their efforts in the Master's service.
"That this minute be entered upon the congregational minute book and a copy be delivered to Dr. Meek."
Dr. Meek preaches his farewell sermon at Greensburg Sunday, February 25th, and will take up his work in Reynoldsville the first of March.
Encourage Ambition.
Next Tuesday the Republicans of Jefferson county will elect one person for delegate to National Convention, three persons for delegates to State Convention, nominate one person for Congress and one person for State Senator. Hon. W. O. Smith, editor of the Punxsutawney Spirit, is the proper man for the Congressional nomination at this time, and we believe he will be the nominee. Mr. Smith is a bright fellow, and his legislative experience equips him for a seat in Congress.
One of the main arguments that Mr. Smith's opponents bring against him is that "he has had enough," having been elected to the Assembly a few terms. To thoughtful people that kind of an argument ought to be in Mr. Smith's favor, as it shows that he is well qualified to be a Congressman. If a man is ambitious and has the ability to fill the positions he seeks, THE STAR believes in boosting him along instead of allowing him to go so far and no farther. Smith's ambition for years has been to occupy a seat in Congress, and as he has prepared himself along that line and has ability to be a Congressman, surely the Republicans of Jefferson county, and especially of Reynoldsville, the town of his nativity, will not say him nay by their votes next Tuesday.
True the other fellow is ambitious and is anxious to enter the halls of Congress, but it would be better if he would get a little experience in the legislature before he seeks Congressional honors.
His Hand Rotted Off.
The case of Charles, 10 year old son of Edward DeLong, of Winterburn, puzzles all doctors and hospital authorities who have seen or treated it. A year ago the boy was attacked with a skin disease, then pronounced eczema. Recently the disease has grown so malignant that the sufferer's fingers have rotted and fallen off. In hope of saving his life the boy's left arm has been amputated above the elbow. Some opinions have termed the disease leprosy.—Clearfield Journal.
Letter List.
List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending Feb. 10, 1900:
Sisti Eugenio, W. C. Denmore, Jas. Mathews, John Foltz, James Kite, Isaac Smith, Robert Russell, Mrs. Annie Bish, Miss Ellen Peterson, Gabo Grebeu.
Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.
A. M. WOODWARD, P. M.
Do You Intend to Build?
We sell sewer pipe, building paper, cement, white lead, doors, sash, glass, roofing paper, nails, locks, hinges, anything you need. Come in and get our prices. Tin roofing and spouting.
HALL & BARTON.
Shoes for all at Williams'.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS
Glimpses of the People who are Passing To and Fro.
William T. Cox was in Pittsburg several days last week.
Miss Lillian Sykes visited in Brookville last week.
Joseph Lichten, of Philadelphia, was in town the first of this week.
David Little, of Warren, was a visitor at the Ross House the past week.
Mrs. Roman E. Koehler is visiting Mrs. C. K. Hawthorne at Ohl, Pa.
Clarence W. Booth, of Wilkensburg is visiting his parents in this place.
Mrs. S. B. Hall, of West Reynoldsville, is visiting friends at Brookville.
Miss Anna Pollock, of Clarion, is visiting Mrs. E. C. Davis on Fourth street.
Mrs. Samuel Williams, of Sackett, Pa., is visiting in West Reynoldsville.
Mrs. Charles Montgomery, of Sligo, visited in this place several days last week.
Mrs. Robert H. Wilson visited her son, Dr. Reid Wilson, in Brookville last week.
Miss Amelia Clark, of Brookville, has been a visitor at C. R. Hall's the past week.
Clarence Henry, one of our grocery-men, visited his parents at Hamilton last week.
Mrs. John Ginnif, of Pittsburg, was the guest of Mrs. H. Alex Stoke a day last week.
Frank X. Kreidler, of Nebraska, Forest county, Pa., was the guest of C. R. Hall Wednesday.
Miss Golda Butler, of near Kittanning, visited her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Butler, the past week.
Mrs. E. R. Compton, of Punxsutawney, is visiting Mrs. H. Prescott, on Main street this week.
Miss Annie Brown, of DuBois, is the guest of Miss Annie Stiles in West Reynoldsville this week.
Mrs. Margaret R. Gorsline, who visited in Philadelphia a few weeks, returned to this place Thursday.
Mrs. Prof. J. H. Hughes, of Brookville, visited her sister, Mrs. Samuel E. Barton, in this place last week.
Mrs. C. H. McCartney, of Punxsutawney, visited her brother, Lawyer C. Mitchell, in this place last week.
E. A. Ferrin was in Philadelphia several days the past week. His little daughter has been dangerously ill.
J. O. Johns and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents near Brookville. Mrs. Johns' mother is very ill.
Misses Bertha and Myrtle Henry, of Hamilton, Pa., visited their brother, Walter C. Henry, in this place the past week.
Mrs. E. V. Marsh, of New Bethlehem, has been visiting her brother, John H. Corbett, in this place the past week.
Miss Effie Winslow, of Bennezzette, visited her uncle, James K. Johnston, and other relatives in this place the past week.
Will J. Taylor, of Butler, a former young gentleman of this place, was in town the first of this week. This is Will's first visit here for sometime and he notices many improvements in the town.
Conrad Mendel, of Allegheny City, visited his daughter, Mrs. Henry Herpel, in West Reynoldsville the past week. Mr. Mendel was called here by the serious illness of his little grandson, Fred Herpel.
People Who Pay the Printer.
The following persons have paid their subscriptions or added their names to our list since last report:
G. J. Corwin, Reynoldsville, December 21, 1900.
Mrs. Harriett Repher, Reynoldsville, January 1, 1901.
Newell G. Meeker, Homestead, October 8, 1900.
John M. Syphrit, Reynoldsville, December 6, 1900.
G. W. Fuller, Reynoldsville, May 10, 1900.
D. W. Dally, Mt. Jewett, Pa., (new) May 5, 1900.
J. Elson Smith, Reynoldsville, (new) May 5, 1900.
H. L. Hoke, Hopkins, December 16, 1900.
Victor Westerburg, Kansas, Pa., January 1, 1899.
Rev. Parley Paul Womer, West Lebanon, N. H., October 8, 1899.
P. P. Denton, Reynoldsville, Jan. 23, 1901.
I. M. Hoch, West Reynoldsville, January 5, 1901.
Messrs. Hall & Barton have secured Mr. Wm. Lucas, who takes entire charge of their plumbing department on the 20th of this month. Mr. Lucas is a thorough and experienced workman in both lead and iron pipe work as well as hot water and steam heating, having had years of experience in the business. His work in this town is a guarantee of his ability, having done the plumbing work in the residences of M. M. Davis, L. M. Simmons and others. Their prices are right and their work all guaranteed. Get estimates from them before placing your contracts.
For Sale.
A good house and lot for sale on Grant street. Inquire at THE STAR office.
Use your sense and save your dollars. You can do it at Millirens.
Nobby suits, the very latest style, is what Johns & Thompson, merchant tailors, are turning out. Try them.
Money saved in footwear at Williams'.